## House Resolution No. 2304

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished himself as a leader of his community; and

**Whereas**, Dr. Gary Horner, an esteemed resident of Belton, Missouri, is stepping down from the Belton Board of Education after eighteen years of exceptional service and dedication; and

**Whereas**, Dr. Horner has played an integral role in the educational development of countless Missouri youth since being elected to the Belton Board of Education in 1985; and

Whereas, Dr. Horner is exceedingly proud of the impressive leadership positions he has held with the Belton Board of Education that include President of the Board from 1994 to 1998 and Vice President from 1985 to 1988; and

Whereas, the numerous advancements made by the Belton Board of Education certainly reflect Dr. Horner's unwavering commitment to the children of the Belton community; and

**Whereas**, Dr. Horner was honored by the Belton Board of Education during a meeting on March 27, 2003, at which time he was presented with a plaque from Dr. Kenny Southwick, Superintendent of Schools; and

Whereas, it is entirely fitting and proper that this legislative body should pay tribute to Dr. Horner, an exemplary community leader whose presence on the Belton Board of Education will be sorely missed by all those who have had the distinct pleasure of knowing and working with him over the years:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Dr. Horner for his eighteen years of unparalleled service to the Belton Board of Education, and in wishing him only the very best of success in all his future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Dr. Gary Horner.

Offered by
Representative Brian Baker
District No. 123
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2304, adopted Apri 29, 2003.
29, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker